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LATE NEWS FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF MARION COUNTY

Caledonia

Caledonia, Dec. 27.—Harry Seckel, who has been located at Boise City, Idaho, for the past year returned home Friday night. His mother, Mrs. Charlotte Seckel will return with him in a few days.

Mrs. L. A. McBride of Indianapolis, Ind., arrived here Wednesday to visit her father Mr. H. Coen, who has been quite poorly for some time.

Miss Florence Ault who has been working in Canton for the past few months came home Monday evening to spend the holidays with her parents.

Garfield Dallas of Barnsville and Ray Askins of Ada are spending the holidays at the home of G. W. Ault.

The band social held at the town hall on Friday evening was well patronized. About \$14 was cleared for the benefit of the band.

Those who came home from school to spend Christmas with their parents are as follows: Wave Baker, of Delaware, Helen Stone from Cleveland, John Irwin from Crawfordsville, Ind., Naomi Pittman from Akron, Ralph Douce from Oberlin, Ruth Gray from Delaware and Nell Hanley from Cleveland.

Alice, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Underwood is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. J. E. Baker is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ethel Brown at New Lebanon, Pa., this week.

The Masonic lodge conferred the Fellow Craft degree on one candidate Monday night.

Clyde Caskey of California, is visiting friends here this week. Clyde formerly resided here.

Rolla Hinds of Hammond, Ind., spent Christmas with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Burkhardt of Cleveland are visiting relatives here this week.

The Christmas entertainments held at the M. E. and Universalist churches Tuesday evening were both well attended. After the usual exercises the Sunday school scholars were given a treat of oranges and candy.

Bill Bone, the noted lecturer will appear at the opera house on Friday evening, January 3.

J. A. Williams and wife of Sidney visited over Christmas with relatives here and at Marion.

Wm. Kellogg residing north east of town is sick with typhoid fever.

Avery Garberson of Cleveland was calling on friends here Thursday.

Miss Orpha Coulter of Columbus spent Christmas with her mother here.

An invitation dance was held in the town hall Friday night. A large crowd attended.

Kirkpatrick

Kirkpatrick, O., Dec. 26.—Mrs. Martha Kennedy, of Marion, is the guest of Mrs. M. V. Walton.

Mrs. Edgar Likens was the guest of Mrs. Ellen Rosenkrantz Wednesday.

Mr. John Mason and family spent Wednesday at the home of Abe Mason north of Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ward are visiting relatives in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Tobias were the guests of friends in Marion, Wednesday.

Ree, C. L. Cole and family spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. T. S. Kennedy west of New Winchester.

Misses Maud and Ella Baker, of Ada, Dr. Alexander and son Dice, of Springfield, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. C. L. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Neff and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Neal of Caledonia, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oram Rowe were the guests of friends in Marion Wednesday.

Miss Goldie Johnson, of Marion, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell.

Misses Edith Weir, Alberta Negi, Mr. Vernel Liken and Loran Wier were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hill, Sunday.

Misses Estella Rice, Mabel Rowe, Clyde Rowe, and Mrs. Oran Rowe were in Bucyrus, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Reamsnyder and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Daugherty Wednesday.

Mr. Tom Slagle and daughter Mae were the guests of relatives in Martel Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dawson and family and Mrs. John Weir were the

Agosta

Agosta, Dec. 27.—Mr. Charles Hathaway of Dayton, spent a few days with his parents this week.

Miss Nina Dutton has returned home after spending the past year in Pueblo, Colorado.

The many friends of Mr. Lester Groin will be surprised to learn of his marriage to Miss Carrie Penell of Avilla, Ind. The ceremony was performed at that place Dec. 17th.

The young couple have the best wishes of their numerous friends.

Mr. Charles Baker has returned from a visit at Webster, Iowa.

Miss Nyda and Mr. Carlton Gongway are spending the holidays with relatives at Bradnor, Ohio.

Miss Agnes Carey of Marion, was calling on her numerous friends Wednesday.

Misses Edna Dutton and Mary Cone left Monday for a two weeks visit at Indianapolis.

Miss Creta Drake, of Marion, is the guest of Miss Nea Young.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dutton have returned home after a visit at Colorado Springs and other points of interest in the West.

Miss Dale Horton was a Marion visitor Monday.

Mrs. Silas Dickason and daughters spent Wednesday at Gallon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grim are spending this week with relatives at Columbus.

Prospect

Prospect, Dec. 28.—W. H. Stipe, a former Prospect boy who for eight years has had a harness store at Richwood, has sold out and moved to Marion purchasing the harness shop of Kinler and Feltz on South Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Gesler were at Marion Friday.

Mrs. Homer Smith and daughter Lavin were the guests of her sister Mrs. L. Noll at Marion last Friday.

Miss Priscilla Neimeyer visited her sister Mrs. J. Lust at Marion several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Gast and children visited at Marion Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Beavers and

children were entertained over Christmas at the home of the former parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beavers at Ferryville, O.

Miss Pauline Cellars returned home from Marietta Saturday, where she will spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. T. J. Cellars.

Miss Lillian Terrell left Tuesday for Marysville, O., where she will spend a few days visiting her parents.

Mrs. B. G. Jutter was the guest of relatives at Marion on Thursday.

Mrs. A. L. Gast left Sunday a.m. for Grand Island and Omaha where she will visit her parents and brothers, during the month of January.

Miss Mable Wotting made a visit to friends at Marion this week.

Miss Emma Stoeckey has returned home from Tiffin to spend her Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wolfley entertained the following at dinner last Thursday eve: Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramey and Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Halliday.

The Embroidery Club was nicely entertained at the home of Mrs. J. W. Pettet, at Delaware last Wednesday.

Mr. Jess Fritch left Wednesday morning for Bellewood, Pa., to visit his daughter Mrs. Wm. Wotting and husband during the holidays.

Miss Fredia Gast visited the school taught by Mr. Oscar Gast near Marion last Friday.

Mrs. S. L. Wotting will entertain the Thimble club on the afternoon of Jan. 29th.

Mrs. A. L. Gast was hostess to the Mother's Council on Thursday evening. A very nice program was rendered consisting of readings by Mrs. R. L. Osborn, Mrs. T. E. Drake and Mrs. Fisk. Mrs. E. E. Wotting contributed a piano solo; Miss Ruth Freeman, a violin solo; and Miss Winifred Gast, a very pleasing vocal solo. After a social session, a nice buffet luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Murphy of Marion spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Crum.

Mr. and Mrs. John Milly entertained at dinner Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. George Kels, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Sipe, Walter Sipe, and Jay and Earl Stiffler.

Mrs. Ella Thomas and daughter Mrs. Addie Voorhes, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stokes and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller of Marion were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Cook last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davids of Green Camp were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. J. M. Gast.

Miss Edna Graham of Richwood visited over Sunday at the home of her uncle, Mr. Will Moore.

Mrs. Maude Fox spent several days last week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Martin Neimeyer at Marion, who was very sick.

HARD WORK TO RETAIN YOUTH.

One Man Declares He Is Not Envious of His Friend's Success.

"The faded secret of youth, the fountain of everlasting life and all the panaceas for growing old without looking old or feeling old are abundantly by the side of the process used by a professional man of my acquaintance," said a widely known lawyer of Philadelphia. "That man looks like a chap of 35, acts, eats, drinks and enjoys himself like one, but I know he's past 60, and considerably past it at that. He hasn't a gray hair on his head, his eye is bright, his skin clear, his step elastic, and his voice strong. What's the secret? It has been an inflexible habit with him from early youth to retire at eight o'clock in the evening and sleep until seven in the morning. On rising he takes a cold bath, but many men do that. Oh, that's all easy, you say? It's not so easy, after all. Try it and stick to it, despite engagements at the theater, business affairs left over from the day and all the variety of things of that sort, and you'll find it about as hard a task as you can place before yourself. Of course, there have been a few breaks in his lifetime habit. But in the main he has adhered to it. Do I recommend it? Well, hardly. It's a dry existence. I prefer this style of life, and am willing to die young accordingly."

Suppression of Opium Smoking.

An observant traveler who reached Hong Kong the other day from the interior by way of the West river tells of a great change so far as the use of opium is concerned, says the North China News. He points out that the edict issued by the throne on the subject has had a marvelous effect on the people—and especially those who have learned the seductive power of the drug.

On the river steamers and passenger boats, where hitherto there has been a free use of the pipe, there is now a marked diminution. The steamers trading to Changmen have notices conspicuously posted prohibiting the use of the drug on board, and not only are the notices posted but they are observed. The traveler declares that on a voyage on a passenger boat to Changmen he did not see a single opium smoker. This speaks well for the action of the Chinese authorities.

WOULD WAIT A LITTLE LONGER.

Old Man Was Taking No Chances on Possible Trouble.

He was a man of 70, but as he had had his hair and his long whiskers colored a jet black one had to look at him twice to get his age down pat. It was on the rear end of a street car, and after the wind had blown through those colored whiskers for ten minutes he asked of the man smoking the bad cigar:

"Any news from Japan this morning?"

"I didn't see any in my paper," was the reply.

"The excitement is sort of dying out, eh?"

"Yes, I think so."

"But there may be another row over something?"

"It is possible, of course, but I hardly think so. There was no real cause for the excitement anyhow."

"No, I guess not, but I'm rather conservative and I think I'll wait a couple of weeks longer."

"For what, may I ask?"

"To pop the question to a widder who owns a farm on the Connecticut shore right where the Japs can sail up and blow the dirt out of it down to bed-rock. Widder's all right and farm's all right up to the present time, but I'm taking no chances. If everything's all serene for two weeks more I pop; if there's any more talk about war I wipe this dye off and shave up and tell all widders to go to grass."

AN EXCHANGE OF PLAYERS.

Three of the Boston Nationals are Traded for Five "Giants."

New York, Dec. 14.—One of the largest exchanges of players ever recorded in major league baseball was effected at the conclusion of the National league meeting here Friday when the New York National league team exchanged Frank Bowerman, catcher; Cecil Ferguson, pitcher; Daniel McGinnis, first baseman; George Brower, right fielder, and either William Dahlen, short stop, or John Haninan, substitute, for Fred Tenney, first baseman; Thomas Needham, catcher, and Al Bridwell, short stop, all of the Boston National league team. The exchange was effected by John J. McGraw, manager of the New York club, and Joseph Kelly, the new manager of the Boston club.

Late last night a representative of the Boston club said that Dahlen would be accepted, but not Haninan.

With the passing of Bowerman, McGraw, Dahlen and Brower there remains but a fragment of the famous ball team familiarly known as "The Giants," who captured the pennant or were fighting close to it for four or five years. Devlin and Seymour are the only fielders remaining who were in the old aggregation. Several of the pitchers, including Matthews and McGinnis and Catcher Breshman remain and of these McGinnis is likely to be displaced.

The business transacted at the league meeting included the adoption of an amendment to the constitution providing that no player of a team once requested cannot be withdrawn. The managers agreed that the maximum price at which a player might be purchased should be \$12,000, instead of \$10,000, the previous limit.

The new board of directors increased President Pulliam's salary \$2,000. Pulliam will now receive about \$19,000 a year.

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